

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (previously presented) A brush (1), comprising:
a rigid mount (2), structured as a manual grip for a user,
said mount comprising plural cavities separated from each other,
said mount having a larger dimension less than 50 mm, and a thickness less than 30% of the larger dimension;
at least two tufts (3) configured to apply a powdered product (9) onto a support,
each said tuft including a foot (30) and a sheaf (31) of flexible application material,
each sheaf anchored in a corresponding one of the cavities and emerging from a different portion of said mount along a different surface (20) of said mount,
each sheaf defining a lateral envelope (33) limited at an envelope end by an application surface (32),
the application surfaces positioned to simultaneously allow at least two different applications of said powder onto said support with each application surface being free of overlap with any other application surface.

2. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1 wherein,

said mount (2) has a maximum thickness less than 10 mm, each sheaf has a length from 50% to 150% of the larger dimension as taken between said mount and said application surface.

3. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 2 wherein said different surfaces are non-planar which respect to each other.

4. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 3 wherein,

said different surfaces are longitudinal rectangular or oblong surfaces, of length from 5 to 20 mm and of width from 1 to 5 mm, with a ratio of the length over the width being from 2 to 10, and

the two sheaves are in the form of two flexible curtains.

5. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1, wherein said surfaces are circular or semi-circular surfaces, of diameter from 2 to 10 mm.

6. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1 wherein said different surfaces are contiguous and non-overlapping.

7. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1 wherein each of said different surfaces is free of contact with any adjacent surface.

8. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 3 wherein said sheaves have a maximum angle of aperture $\alpha > 0$ and possibly a minimum angle of aperture $\alpha' > 0$, with $\alpha' < \alpha$ and wherein said surfaces are non-contiguous and are spaced apart by a distance e such that said corresponding application surfaces are contiguous, given said angle of aperture α and said distances e or e' .

9. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 3 wherein said sheaves have a maximum angle of aperture $\alpha > 0$ and a minimum angle of aperture $\alpha' > 0$, with $\alpha' < \alpha$ and wherein said surfaces are non-contiguous and are spaced apart by a distance e such that said corresponding application surfaces are non-contiguous, given said angle of aperture α and said distances e or e' .

10. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 3 wherein said surfaces are in one and the same plane which is perpendicular to a medium plane.

11. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 3 wherein said surfaces are in different planes and perpendicular to a medium plane P, and forming between them an angle β equal to $150^{\circ} \pm 25^{\circ}$, in such a way that, with said corresponding application surfaces forming between them an angle typically close to said angle β , said application surfaces are able to conform in shape to the outlines and contours of the face, typically the cheekbones of the face.

12. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 11 wherein at least one of the planes is not perpendicular to said medium plane.

13. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 2 wherein said different tufts are geometrically symmetrical relative to a plane of symmetry.

14. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 2 wherein said different tufts are tufts of hair (4, 4') constituted by hairs of the same nature or texture.

15. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 2 wherein said different tufts are tufts of hair (4, 4') constituted by hairs of different nature or texture, so as to be able to form two applications, different by texture or grain, of one and the same product or of two products.

16. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 2 wherein said different tufts are formed by one and the same fibrous or alveolar material able to provide a transfer of said product, or by two different fibrous or alveolar materials able to provide a transfer of said product.

17. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 13 wherein said application surfaces project themselves orthogonally over a plane perpendicular to said plane of symmetry.

18. (cancelled)

19. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1 wherein said foot of each tuft T_i is anchored by bonding.

20. (previously presented) Brush according to claim 1 in combination with a case for dispensing product in the form of compacted powder (9), said brush (1) to be able to be placed in said closed case (5) between a bottom (6) of said case fitted

with at least one pot (8) containing said compacted powder (9) and a lid (7) of said case including a mirror (70).

21. (currently amended) ~~Combination~~ The combination according to claim 20 including a single pot (8) containing a single compacted product and wherein the compacted product has a contact surface S_c with a dimension or width L_c such that the ratio L_A/L_c is between 0.7 and 1.1, so as to apply the same product using two different tufts of said brush.

22. (currently amended) ~~Combination~~ The combination according to claim 20 wherein said compacted product (9) includes two different compacted products forming a single block of compacted powder, and separated along a typically straight line of demarcation, so that, said brush being applied against said compacted product and said central common area of said tufts along said line of demarcation to take up simultaneously two different products typically in a single movement.

23. (currently amended) ~~Combination~~ The combination according to claim 20 wherein each of said two different compacted products forms a block placed in one and the same pot (8) or in two pots (8, 8') side by side along a line of demarcation, in such a way that the two blocks are 2 mm apart at the most.

24. (currently amended) ~~Combination~~ The combination according to claim 22 wherein said compacted products have a total contact surface with an average dimension L_c , taken perpendicularly to said line of demarcation comparable to a straight portion, such that the ratio L_A/L_c is between 0.7 and 1.1, so as to have a contact surface adapted to said brush (1).

25. (currently amended) ~~Combination~~ The combination according to claim 20 wherein said contact surface forms an angle γ close to $180^\circ \pm 40^\circ$, in such a way that said brush, according to the geometric shape of said application surface is able to take up powder from said two products uniformly by passing said sheaves of hair over said contact surface.